

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 56, line 18, and insert the following rewritten paragraph:

To explain the processing of S2200 in detail, based on a motion at the geometrically estimated body position determined as described above in a preceding control cycle or earlier, a geometrically estimated body acceleration, which is a second-order differential of the geometrically estimated body position, is calculated. This processing is carried out by a block 301 shown in Fig. 13. It is assumed that the processing for determining the geometrically estimated body position is carried out by a block 300 shown in Fig. 4713. Complementarily, as long as the positions of a body representative point and the accelerometer coincide with each other, an estimated body posture is not necessary in calculating a geometrically estimated body acceleration (strictly speaking, the acceleration at the position of the accelerometer in the body 3 that is geometrically estimated).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 62, line 8, and insert the following rewritten paragraph:

Subsequently, the estimated body posture angular error is converted to a sensor coordinate system (a coordinate system having its coordinate axes matched to detection axes of the gyro sensor) by a block 305 shown in Fig. 13, and then a value obtained by multiplying the converted value by an integration gain K_a is integrated to determine an estimated gyro sensor drift (an estimated value of the

drift of the gyro sensor). Furthermore, the estimated gyro sensor drift is subtracted from a gyro sensor detected value ω_{in} (detected body angular velocity value) by a block 307 so as to determine an angular velocity with a corrected drift. In the block 307, a drift of a yaw rate is also subtracted, as necessary, which will be discussed hereinafter. Then, the angular velocity with the corrected drift is converted to a global coordinate system by a block ~~308~~350, using an estimated body posture, so as to determine a global body angular velocity ω_{gl} .